

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA**

<b>UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,</b>  <div style="text-align: center;"><b>Plaintiff,</b></div>  <div style="text-align: center;"><b>vs.</b></div>  <b>MICHAEL HUYCK,</b>  <div style="text-align: center;"><b>Defendant.</b></div>	) ) ) ) ) ) ) ) ) )	<b>8:13CR107</b>    <b>ORDER</b>
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This matter is before the court on the motion for appointment of counsel by defednant Michael Huyck (Huyck) (Filing No. 255). Huyck is represented by Jerry M. Hug as retained counsel. Huyck now seeks the appointment of counsel since his finances have been exhausted, he has been detained in custody, and this is a prolonged and complex case. The court held a hearing on the matter on August 5, 2014. Huyck was present with Mr. Hug and the United States was represented by Assistant U.S. Attorney Michael P. Norris. The court heard from Mr. Hug and Huyck in camera. The court finds Huyck is eligible for appointment of counsel pursuant to the Criminal Justice Act, 18 U.S.C. §3006A, and the Amended Criminal Justice Act Plan for the District of Nebraska. Thereafter the court granted the motion to appoint counsel and reserved the matter of appointing Mr. Hug following the filing of an ex parte affidavit of work performed by Mr. Hug. The affidavit was filed on August 8, 2014 (Filing No. 265). Following an examination of Mr. Hug's affidavit, the court determines it will be in the interest of justice to appoint Mr. Hug, 1823 Harney Street, #1004, Omaha, NE 68102, (402) 346-1733, to represent Huyck for the balance of these proceedings commencing as of August 11, 2014.

The clerk shall provide a copy of this order to the Office of the Federal Public Defender.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

DATED this 11th day of August, 2014.

BY THE COURT:

s/ Thomas D. Thalken  
United States Magistrate Judge